Now Wait a Minute!: Filmmaker Oliver Stone issued a denial after Time magazine reported he had a new conspiracy theory for his planned movie about Richard Nixon. The magazine said one early script has the former President organizing a hit squad to assassinate Cuban President Fidel Castro, but the group runs wild and instead assassinates John F. Kennedy. "Ridiculous," said Stone, who took plenty of heat from scholars for the version of the Kennedy assassination portrayed in his movie "JFK." In a statement, Stone said: "If the media will allow us to finish writing the script, then shoot and edit the movie and present it to the public, I believe that we will be able to offer our audience an exciting and sympathetic portrait of the most controversial President in our history." —ART BERMAN